Losses incurring Central Public Sector Undertakings in Tamil Nadu

1353. SHRI R.T. GOPALAN : Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to refer to answer to Unstarred Question 1497 given in the Rajya Sabha on the 21st August, 1990 and state :

(a) what is the percentage of investment in Tamil Nadu *vis-a-vis* the total investment made in the Central Public Sector Undertakings all over the country;

(b) whether any Central Public Sector Undertaking in Tamil Nadu is incurring losses; and

(c) if so, the details thereof ?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE PRIME MINISTER'S OFFICE (SHRI KAMAL MORARKA) : (a) 5 1% of the total investment in terms of gross block was made in the Central Public Sector Enterprises in the State of Tamil Nadu as on 31-3-1989.

(b) and (c) Only one Central Public Sector Enterprises namely National Textile Corporation (Tamil Nadu & Pondicherry) Ltd., having registered office in the State incurred a loss of Rs 9 53 crores during 1988-89.

Tribal Development Blocks

1354. SHRI R.T. GOPALAN : Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state :

(a) what is the nubmer of Tribal Development Blocks in the country Statewise;

(b) what are the details of the ongoing Central Development Schemes in these blocks; and

(c) what progress has been made therein during the Seventh Five Year Plan ?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF LABOUR AND THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF WELFARE (SHRI RAMJILAL SUMAN) : (a) There are 640 fully covered and 318 partly covered Blocks in the Tribal sub-plan (TSP) areas in the country. State-wise break-up is given in Statement-I (*See below*).

(b) and (c) The details of some of the Centrally Sponsored and Central Sector Schemes currently in operation in the TSP areas and progress made thereunder during the Seventh Plan are given in Statement-II (*See below*).

Statement-I

Development blocks Fully/partly covered under TSP

Sl No	State/U T	No. of Blocks	
		Fully covered	Partly covered
1	2	3	4
1	Andhra Pradesh	27	32
2	Assam	2	53
3	Bihar	112	
4	Gujarat	64	
5	Himachal Pradesh	7	